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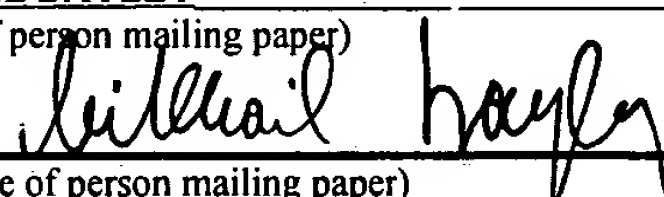
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Presented for filing is a new continuation-in-part patent application of:

APPLICANTS: SE-JIN LEE AND ALEXANDRA MCPHERRON
 TITLE: **USE OF FOLLISTATIN TO INCREASE MUSCLE MASS**

Enclosed are the following papers, including all those required for a filing date under 37 CFR § 1.53(b):

Pages of Specification	135
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Under 35 USC § 120, this application claims the benefit of prior U.S. Application No. 09/626,896, filed July 27, 2000, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application No. 09/485,046, filed January 31, 2000, which is based on International Application PCT/US98/15598, filed July 28, 1998, which claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/054,461, filed August 1, 1997, which is now abandoned.

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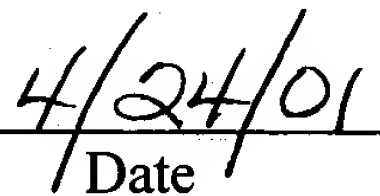
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